Frentz Patents

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Biographical Note:

Peter Frentz, born circa 1830 in France, was a stencil cutter by trade in New Albany, Indiana. He married Elizabeth Bernker in 1851. In 1854, Peter and Elizabeth had a daughter named Margaret, who at the age of fifteen was granted a patent for an improvement made to corset fastening. Peter Frentz was granted patents for improvements made to wash boilers and for inventing a device for carrying hoses.

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Ancestry Library. 1870 United States Census. 5 Apr. 2006 < http://search.ancestrylibrary.com>. Ancestry Library. Indiana Marriage Collection, 1800-1941. 5 Apr. 2006 http://search.ancestrylibrary.com>.

Scope and Content Note:

This collection contains the patent certificates for Peter and Maggie Frentz.

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B44.

1869 Feb. 2 Peter Frentz patent

1869 Jun. 8 Maggie (Margaret) Frentz patent

OBC57.

1866 Sep. 11 Peter Frentz patent

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